



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7293**  
Morio GAKU et al. : Docket No. 2000\_1503A  
Serial No. 09/699,419 : Group Art Unit 1765  
Filed October 31, 2000 : Examiner Shamim AHMED

COPPER-CLAD BOARD SUITABLE FOR  
MAKING HOLE WITH CARBON DIOXIDE  
GAS LASER, METHOD OF MAKING HOLE  
IN SAID COPPER-CLAD BOARD AND  
PRINTED WIRING BOARD COMPRISING  
SAID COPPER-CLAD BOARD

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

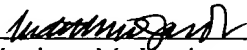
Petition hereby is made for a third month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
July 8, 2003.

The fee of \$530.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.  
( ) to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is  
enclosed.  
( ) Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion  
which  
( ) is enclosed.  
( ) has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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